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Leslie Murray of Holy Cross college, Worcester, has been spending a few days at his home in Danielson.

Peter Boulias, one of the oldest french-Canadian residents of Danielson, is seriously ill at his home on Dyer street.

Cassius S. Chase of the Danielson Worsted company is in New York. Worcester, has been spending a few days at his home in Danielson.

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To Address Men's Club. J. W. Rae is to address the members of the Men's club of the Congrega-tional church this (Wednesday) eve-

Roy Keach, William Marland and Austin Brooks have returned from a stay at Oakland beach.

Attending Conference. Rev. R. S. Cushman is at Attleboro attending the New England Southern conference of the Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. John Cogswell, who lave been visiting in Danielson, are to return to their home at Oakland

George O. Thomas was in Boston Tuesday. Warden and Mrs. W. I. Bullard, who have been spending several weeks in the south, are expected to return to Danielson the latter part of this

Unclaimed Letters. Letters widressed as follows are un-claimed at the Danielson postoffice: Joseph Bellsle, Louise Dion, Fred Gra-don, Napoleon Labout, Mrs. Walter Barber, Miss M. McAvoy, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Marjie Hamilton.

Water Wagon Appreciated. The street sprinkling service was resumed for the first time this year on Tuesday morning and was perhaps as much appreciated as it has ever been. The beavy clouds of dust that have been sweeping over the business sec-tion of Danielson for the past few days were quickly overcome by getting the streets wet and keeping them so. Checkerberry Schoolhouse Burned.

A report comes from the town of Sterling of the destruction of the well known old Checkerberry school house, a landmark in that section. The forest fires that have recently raged in that section of the county swept away the old structure, which has been un-used and in a tumbledown condition for

OFFER REWARD.

Selectmen Making Effort to Find Man Who Shot Caesar Stafano.

The selectmen of the town of Kill-ingly have authorized the offering of a reward of \$200 for the arrest of Carmos Fors, who is wanted for the murder of Caesar Stafano of Williams-ville. The officers have kept up a diligent search for the murderer, but diligent search for the murderer, but have been unable to locate him. Various clues have been followed up and investigations made in territory where it was reported that the much wanted man has been seen since the shooting. In every instance, however, the effort has gone for naught. Deputy Sheriff Michael Grimshaw of Attawaugan was out for hours Monday afternoon and evening, working with a party of assistants between Danielson and Williamsville, over country in which Forswas said to have been seen shortly after Monday noon. If he was there, they could not find him, nor was any trace of him discovered. Another report that came in from Central Village told of a man that boarded a Norwich car there shortly after Monday noon, but this party also proved to out for hours Monday afternoon and evening, working with a party of assistants between Danielson and Williamsville, over country in which Fors was said to have been seen shortly after Monday noon. If he was there, they could not find him, nor was any trace of him discovered. Another report that came in from Central Village told of a man that boarded a Norwich car there shortly after Monday noon, but this party also proved to be another than the missing man. Telephone messages have been sent out in all directions from Danielson by Sheriff P. B. Sibley and many officers have their eyes open for a man that an swers the description of the assassin. It is going to be a difficult matter to get information from the massing matter to get information from the massassin. It is going to be a difficult matter to get information from the man's countrymen in Williamsville relative to anything that they may know about him, as it is not their custom to aid officers in this respect, The chances of getting him are not hopeless, nevertheless.

Officers of Asbury Castle. Asbury castle, Knights of King Arthur, of the local Methodist church, has elected the following officers: King Fred Darmer, Jr.; seneschal, Arthur Wilde; heralds, John Day, Floyd Mason; sentinel, Tyler Andrews; keeper of the exchequer, Harold Bigelow; constable Jacob Spaulding; chamberlains, Leroy Surrey (degree master), Harold Bigelow, Fred Darmer, Jr., Arthur Wilde, Alcott Darmer Jr., Arthur Wilde, Alcott Spaulding, Jacob Spaulding, Frank Ba-ker, Alfred Greene; chancellors, Le-roy Surrey, Albert Warren, Jacob The order holds a strong interest

for its members, to a degree, in fact, Howard A. Cleaver's House Burned,

The house of Howard A. Cleaver in the town of Sterling was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning, the result, it is said, of a defective chimney. The house and all of the contents were consumed, although Mr. Cleaver saved some furniture which he was keeping temporarily in the barn on the place. The house will be better remembered by many recoile in this section as the

by many people in this section as the old Russell Hill place, Mr. Hill having left there last fall to spend the win-

left there last fall to spend the winter in Danielson.

Mr. Cleaver, the new owner, domes
from Milwaukee, and has been in this
section only a few weeks. It is understood that the loss is covered by
insurance, the risk being carried
through a local agency.

Next week, Eibert L. Darbie, collecter of taxes for the town of Killingly,
will commence the work of getting in

will commence the work of getting in the money due on the list last com-piled. He has given announcement of the dates and hours at which he will he at the various villages throughout the town and will endeavor to get all the money due in the shortest possi-

To Return from Backus Hospital. Mrs. John Reece, who has been a patient at the Backus hospital in Nor-wich, suffering with a nervous discrder, is very much improved in health and will be able to be at her home here in a few days.

Railroad Painters Leave for Dayville. Painters in the employ of the New Haven road who have been working in Danielson for the past few weeys, have completed their work on the railroad station and other property of the company, and have had their cars removed to Dayville, where there is work for them to do.

Applications for appointment as um-pires are being received from persons in the various towns making up the Eastern Connecticut baseball league.

Four or five appointments are to be made. The umpires receive three dol-lars a game and their carfare. Social and Personal Items.

Miss Emma F. Pilling and Luther Pilling are spending several days in Washington, D. C. Miss Helen P. Perkins has as her guest Miss Sarah Wall of Worcester.

Miss E. D. Putnam, who is teaching in Montclair, N. J., is spending the Easter recess at her home.

Miss Louise Danielson of Long Branch, N. J., is at her home during

the vacation,
Miss Gladys Burroughs of East Orange, N. J., is the guest of her mother Mrs. Ellen M. Burroughs.
Miss Esther Pike of Worcester was
the guest over Sunday of Miss Agnes

Bassett and Miss Helen Put-

PUTNAM

Officers of Wheaton Building & Lum-ber Company-Petition for Oiled Streets-Autopsy Performed on Stafano-Arguments Begun in Wilcox-Thrall Case.

At a meeting of the Wheaton Build-ing & Lumber company the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President E. M. Wheaton; sec-retary and treasurer, E. M. Corbin; directors, E. M. Wheaton, George P. Miner, E. M. Corbin, It was voted to declare a six per cent. dividend.

Westerly Match Arranged. Westerly Match Arranged.

Kid Van Bon Coeur, Putnam's niftiest little wrestler, is to meet one of the best grappiers among the little fellows when Kid Bisson of Fall River, claimant of the special weight (125 lbs.) championship, comes to Putnam on the evening of April 7. Bisson agrees to throw the Putnam boy twice within an hour or forfeit the match. within an hour or forfeit the match.

WANT OILED STREETS.

One Hundred Petitioners to Pray Com

cured to the petition to be presented to the members of the common council at their next meeting, asking that certain parts of the streets in the business section of the city be sprinkled with oil rather than with water during the coming season. The sections which the petition asks be treated with oil are Elm street from May street to Union square and including the square and Pomfret street from the bridge at Cargill Falls to Bugbee's corner and from the latter point through Front are painting and launching their fishfrom the latter point through Front street to the railroad bridge over the last mentioned street.

Officers of Baptist Church Society. At a meeting of the Baptist church society held Friday evening the following officials were elected for the ensuing year: Clerk, Clarence Pierce; treasurer, Charles Arnold; church committee, J. B. Kent, H. O. Preston, Henry Converse. Henry Converse.

AUTOPSY PERFORMED. Medical Examiner Seeks Proofs of Cause of Stafano's Death.

Medical Examiner Rienzl Robinson, M. D., of Danielson, performed an au-topsy Tuesday on the body of Caesar Stafano of Williamsville who was shot Sunday night. The autopsy verified the conclusions established after the operation performed upon Stafano be-

fore his death. The body was later turned over to the selectmen of the town of Killingly, Undertaker Louis E. T. Kennedy tak-ing charge of the body and removing it to his rooms in Danielson.

Brush Fire Causes Alarm-Hose Company Summoned.

Mansfield Hose company was called out on a still alarm Tuesday afternoon to subdue a brush fire near Sheldon's carriage shop. Buildings in that sec-tion were endangered and there was also fear of the fire creating trouble if it reached a point where a building containing dynamite is located. Another fire of similar native oc-

curred Tuesday afternoon below the long railroad bridge and west of the Quinebaug river. This fire threatened to damage property owned by the rail-road and river in the employ of the company fought it until it was ex-tinguished.

May Restore Fitchburg Express. It is rumored that the train known as the Fitchburg express, taken off when the train service was reduced by the New Haven road is to be restored when the summer schedule goes into effect. This train ran from Fitchburg to New York, via Worcester, Putnam, Willimantic, and from the laiter city over the Air Line tracks to New Haven and to New York. The train was al-ways a popular one with business men and if it is going to be restored it will be appreciated as much as ever.

Unclaimed Letters. Letters addressed as follows are unclaimed at the Putnam postoffice this week: John Gant, Edward Gallagher, D. Harris, Irving Hartshorn, E. C. Richards, J. F. Stolses, Henry Stone. About the City.

Miss Elizabeth Rawley has resigned as organist at the Methodist church after eight years' service.

John Child, employed in the Hammond-Knowlton company's slik mill, is unable to work because of injury to his head.

his hand, Mrs. George E. Shaw and Mrs. Silas Mrs. George E. Shaw and Mrs. Silas M. Wheelock are at East Greenwich. Frank Howarth is acting as messenger in the superior court this week. Mrs. E. M. Wheaton confined to her home with a fractured hip and also recently ill with pneumonia is showing gradual improvement.

John Prince of Eastford is spending a few days with friends in Putnam.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Evidence All in in Case of Wilcox vs. Thrall.

The case of Calvin Wilcox vs. Dwight Thrall was resumed in the superior court before Judge Edwin B, Gager Tuesday and was on all day.

The evidence is now all in and before adjournment Tuesday afternoon two of the arguments were made At-torney Babcock opening for the plain-tiff. Attorney King presented the first argument for the defense. Attorney Searles and Attorney Harvey, respec-tively for the plaintiff and the defend-ant will make the closing arguments when court opens this (Wednesday) morning. Following Judge Gager's charge the case will go to the jury.

Annual Congregational Society Meeting Held Monday Evening-Officers Chosen.

At the annual meeting of Congrega-Monday evening the report of the sec-retary and treasurer were read and accepted. The following officers were appointed for the ensuing year: Sec-retary and treasurer, Arthur M. Clarke; ecclesiastical committee, W. J. Bart-lett, F. J. Daniels, J. Richard Carpen, ter; auditor, Henry J. Thayer; organist, Lewis O. Williams.

Funeral of Samuel Basto. Rev. F. D. Sargent, pastor of the ed at the funeral of Samuel Basto held at one o'clock at Putnam Heights on Tuesday.

Seriously III. Mrs. T. P. Botham of Wilkinson street is seriously ill with plural pneumonia and Mr. Botham is very ill with the grip. Their children, Mrs. Wade of Newton, Mass., and Ralph Botham of New York are in Putnam. Briefs and Personals.

Miss Mary Wheelock has returned from a visit in Uxbridge Mass. Mrs. Helen Willey has returned from two weeks' visit in Boston and in Mrs. Francis Bugbee of South Main street who has been very ill the past week was more comfortable on Tues-

day.

Mrs. W. Beard and her daughter,
Marjorie and Kathleen, are in Mount
Vernon, N. Y., where Rev. Mr. Beard
and his family are to reside.

Past Regent Mrs. G. E. Shaw and
regent, Mrs. S. M. Wheelock are to
represent Elizabeth Porter Putnam
chapter at the meeting of the Connecticut D. A. R. held at Greenwich
today.

Mrs. S. S. Beebe of Canada returned to Tenaply, N. J., on Tuesday after spending a week with her sister, Miss Ettie Burr in Killingly avenue. Mrs. C. M. Green spent Easter Sun-dal with H. I. Dodge's family in Prov-

STONINGTON.

Travel Club Hears Instructive Papers -Salad Supper-Calvary Sunday Awards Prizes - Sudden Death.

The Travel club held its weekly session at the free library Tuesday after-noon. Mrs. H. R. Palmer spoke most entertainingly on English Gothle Ar-chitecture and Rev. D. C. Stone gave an interesting account of Oxford. A large number attended.

Many at Salad Supper. One hundred names have been secured to the petition to be presented to the members of the common council at their next meeting, asking that care.

Fred Ostman is setting pound stakes this week, preparing for the season's fishing. Many of the local fishermen are painting and laurening their fish-ing smacks and all are looking forward to an early catch.

Big Easter Stamp Sale. The local postoffice has had an un-usual amount of business during East-er week. On Saturday 1,137 one cent stamps were sold for postals.

Meeting of Episcopal Parish The annual meeting of Calvary piscopul parish was held in the hurch Monday evening.

Many autos have been in town this week, registering from different states. James Harvey will carry the bag-gage from the railroad station to and from the steamer Watch Hill and steamer New Shoreham this season. Mr. Harvey carried over 5,000 pieces of baggage last season. Eugene Atwood has returned to New York.

York. Monday Miss Susan C. Durgin returned to Providence.
Wallace Wright returned Tuesday to
Newark, N. J.

town with friends. Eighty Degrees in the Shade

A perfect spring day was enjoyed in town Tuesday. There was very little breeze blowing and the thermometer registered 80 degrees in the shade at Charles E. Beebe of Hartford was in

town Monday.

Michael Maloney has been entertaining Mrs. Van Etten from Derby.

J. C. Lilley of Watertown, N. Y., spent Tuesday in town.

Death of Mrs. August Bruin.

Bruin, wife of August Bruin, caused much sorrow. She was ill only three days and passed away on Sunday at her home on Bay View avenue. She was 37 years old. She leaves her husfive sisters. Elmer Sisson of Boston was in town

Tuesday.

M. A. Luther of Charlestown, Mass., is the guest of friends in town.

C. A. Byles of Trenton, N. J., is in the borough today.

Miss Clara Bromans has returned from a visit with her sister in Norwich. Ethel Barnes is recovering from typhoid fever.

Mrs. L. Newton has been called out of town by the illness of her father.

ONE OF TRIPLETS.

Torrington Boy of Five for Whom Physical Culture has Done Much.

Arthur A. Dietz, Jr., of Torrington, is the son of Physical Director Arthur A. Dietz of the Y. M. C. A. He is but five years of age and weighed but eighteen ounces and was raised in an incubator. His two brothers, the others of the triplets were much larger. They of the triplets, were much larger. They lived to be nine and six months old, respectively, Artie, Jr., however, gained in health and strength and at the age of two years showed a marked degree of intelligence. When four years old he entered the

gymnasium classes and participated in the free hand and dump bell drills os cleverly as any of the older boys. His father comes of a family of doctors, four of his brothers having adopted that profession, all of whom are now practising physicians in Philadelphia.

Young Artle's one desire is to follow in the footsteps of his uncles and study medicine. For hours at a time he will practise bandaging the arms and legs of his older brothers. He can name every bone in the human body properly, applying the Latin terms, recite their functions and determs, recite their functions and de-termine and identify all the muscles. He is endowed with a wonderful memory. At the Y. M. C. A. he reads the Scripture lesson and can sing all

the hymns. He is a big favorite with the boys and young men and accompanies them on all trips in basketball and baseball. He is tall for his age, and can box and

To Dedicate Morgan Memorial May 15. At Christ church New Haven Friday night, Bishop Chauncey B. Brewster announced that he would be present on Ascension day, May 15, to dedicate the memorial window to the late Rev. George Brinley Morgan.

The window, for which the design of the profiles firm was accounted and the

an English firm was accepted, and the work of installing it in the large west window of the church will be com-

MEDICAL INSPECTION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN AND **EVILS ATTENDANT THEREON**

Question of Inspection Raised and Alleged Erroneous Theories Attacked-Expense Unnecessary?-Germs, Serum, Vaccines and Squirt Guns-Contagion and Right Living.

(Published by Request.)

The subjoined communication which was printed in The Waterbury Republican recently is of particular interest just now in view of all the talk going on here for medical inspection in our schools. The writer is a gentleman who has given the subject close study and his views are freely and frankly set forth in the following:

To the Editor:

Sir—The subject of medical inspection of the children in the public attention, just now, through recent action of the board of health in appointing a medical inspector for the schools; through the special address of the president of the board strongly recommending it, and through the action of the board of finance in refusing to pay the "salary" of the medical inspector, and it does not seem out of order to take up some features of the subject, of interest to the average citizen, at this particular time.

It seems pertinent to ask, first, is

base their declaration of necessity for it, first, on the theory that nearly all diseases are contagious, and that these diseases are contagious, and that these diseases arise only through contagion; second, on the theory that diseases are caused by "disease germs" which, disseminated by the sick, invade the bodies of the well and cause infection; third, on the prediction that at some time in the unknown future some ter-rible disease will break out in the schools and spread among the children, a calamity they confidently expect medical inspection can and will pre-

tracted, or "caught the disease from some one lese. This argument will not appeal to those who hold that there never was a beginning, that all things have always existed, disease included, and always will; but they are comparatively few, and their views will not be considered in this argument. Thereconsidered in this argument. There-fore granting that a "first case" must have occurred, if the same conditions existed today as existed then, they

window of the church will be commenced shortly.

New Haven.—Leonard W. Coggswell, stenographer, has published a song. While Baby Sleeps, with music by Attorney Thomas F. Ryan of Litchfield.

not every one fears disease and contagion, but those who have been educated to believe in contagion and "disease germs," and by seeing houses piacarded, and policemen standing guard in front of dwellings, have developed a fear of disease, would be, and like as not their sickness would take on the symptome of the particular disease they feared. That disease can be induced by fear is a fact so generally known that no instances need be cited.

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It seems pertinent to ask, first, is there any real need for medical inspection, in the schools in particular; second, what warrant has the board of public headth for its action in appointing a medical inspector at \$1.200 per year when the appropriation asked for, for this purpose, had been disallowed; and, third, if medical inspection is as necessary and important as our medical friends would have us believe, can the work be done fully and satisfactorily by one doctor, devoting only a portion of his time, among the 10,000 children at present in our schools?

When the subject of medical inspection in our public schools was first advocated two inspectors were asked for, at a salary of \$400 per year each. At that time it was seriously questioned if medical inspection, if so vitally important and necessary, could be had at an expenditure of only \$800 per year and be good for anything. The advocates of the matter admitted that the sum asked for, then, would not begin to pay for the thorough medical school inspection they declared we were sadily in need of, but gave assurance that, once established, medical inspection, if so the great of the sum asked for was not appropriated that the appropriations for it would be voluntarily increased year by year. If I remember correctly, its advocates at the time falled to show the sum asked for was not appropriated. The board of health, however, found itself in possession of an unexpended balance from its regular appropriation, in such case, the first is not and to free the found itself in possession of an unexpended balance from its regular appropriation, in more practical and health in spite of the failure to obtain a regular appropriation for it. In this war

balance from its regular appropriations, and with this sum at their dispostal, established medical inspection, in spite of the failure to obtain a regular appropriation for it. In this way the thin endge of the wedge was used to enable the doctors, in turn, to feed at the public crib, and, presumably, they have been regular boarders since, through appropriations made especially for medical inspection.

It would seem, however, that the great benefit from medical inspection, which its advocates predicted, would cause a voluntary increase in appropriations for it year by year, has not been realized, for this year our city fathers cut out the appropriation for it in the budget. A need for strict economy is understood to be the reason, but it is fair to assume that only such items of expense as, after careful consideration, were found needless and could be safely dispensed with were cut out.

The advocates of medical inspection base their declaration of necessity for it first on the theory that nearly all he has to do is to apply to this doctor. And not only that, but if a person is well, and wants to keep well, all he has to do is to apply to this doctor who will inject a quantity of the various serums, at frequent intervals, until it "takes," for immunizing purposes, that is, as preventives. It seems too bad that the Almighty with all his foresight, did not have one of our modern doctors at his elbow when he created this earth and all it contains, to warn of the danger of humanity from "disease germs" so things could have been so arranged that when a baby is born into the world it would come forth Death of Mrs. Carrie M.

The sudden death of Mrs. Carrie M.
Bruin, wife of August Bruin, caused much sorrow. She was ill only three days and passed away on Sunday at her home on Bay View avenue. She was 37 years old. She leaves her husband, one child, her father, mother and five sisters.

It will be my endeavor to show that these theories, and the prediction, are not well founded and that, as a consequence there is no such necessity for medical inspection as its advocates would have us believe.

The theory of contagion in disease, The theory of contagion in disease, The theory of contagion in disease, Fortunately, however, these so-called the result, not the

The theory of contagion in disease, and the commonly so-called "germ theory" are closely associated, the latter being "the missing link" as it were, in an effort to explain, and sustain, the theory of contagion. But, the theory of contagion. But, the theory of contagion still remains a theory, and the so-called "germ theory," although it would seem to be generally accepted as a well founded truth, is destined to go down in the annals of medical history as the most fallacious and delusive pathological doctrine ever devised.

One of the arguments in opposition to the theory of contagion in disease, and that these diseases arise through contagion only, is made on the tenable supposition that there must have been a "first case" some time, and that this "first case" could not bave been contracted, or "caught" the disease from some one less. This argument will not appeal to those who hold that there never was a beginning, that all things have always existed, disease included, and always will; but they are comparatively few and their views will not be peatedly found in the throats of large numbers of healthy children and adults who had not suffered from diphtheria, and did not get it after-wards.

From this condition of affairs it is

fore granting that a "first case" must have occurred, if the same conditions existed today as existed then, they would necessarily produce the same result in any given case, and it is an indisputable fact that cases of socialled contagious diseases occur singly—isolated cases—where it is impossible to trace the contagion to any one, ho case of the kind having occurred in years before, and where no one "caught" the disease from the solitary patient.

Attempts have been made to explain such cases by suggesting that the "germs" of the disease had hid away in old colithes, old furniture, in walls of houses, or what not, and, in some manner becoming liberated, had infected the person. In case no similar case had occurred in the memory of even "the oldest inhabitant" it would be explained that these "germs" are possessed with life everlasting, and that for the page 150 for investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those of investigating tropeculosis have been as extensive, probably, as those o

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Disease is produced in the first place by improper living, causing a susceptibility in the person which needs only the peculiar atmospheric conditions necessary to develop it. That atmospheric conditions develop diseases, in those susceptible, is seen in the different types of diseases prevalent at various times. At one time cholera prevails, at another smallpox, at another scarlet fever, at another measles, at another typhoid fever, and so on.

We then hear much of the activities of boards of health in "stamping out" disease; but they never do, and for the simple resason that they cannot. When an epidemic occurs those susceptible to the peculiar atmospheric conditions then prevailing will take the disease, and when all such have had it the epidemic subsides and passes away itself.

It is nothing more or less than a case of "the surival of the fittest." The weaklings, from whatever causa, must succumb, and even the most skilled in the medical art are power-less to prevent, or circumvent, this natural law.

Much can be done, however, to promote health and banish disease, but the means must be entirely different

Much can be done, however, to promote health and banish disease, but the means must be entirely different form those employed at present. Let the gospel of health be preached. Let hygiene, the proper way to live, the care of the body, etc., be taught in every grade in all our schools, which can easily be done with text books now obtainable for a study of these subjects. Let those who are intrusted with the care of the schools see to it that the buildings are safe, clean, well heated and ventilated and equipped with proper modern sanitary accommolations, all essential in promoting the health of the children, and at the same time tend to remove the need for medical inspection.

Surely Waterbury has not suffered in the past from diseases in the schools, and with constant advance being made in hygiene and santary improvements it is reasonable to suppose that conditions will improve as we progress, and preclude the possibility of such calculities in the future.

we progress, and preciude the poset-bility of such calamities in the future as the advocates of medical inspection predict and would have us believe to sure to happen, if we do not let them have it all their own way. L. W. ANDERSON.

OVERHANGING SIGNS.

Conjecture as to Whether They Will Still Hang on Main Street, Bridgeport.

The matter of signs overbanging Main street is being agitated in some quarters and there is speculation whether a vote of the council passed last year will be enforced says the Bridgeport Telegram. Director Bilts did not take any steps to bring the signs down and so the present director has not taken action. At the last meeting of the council Alderman Cassidy presented a proposed ordinance which will permit the use of electric or illuminated signs under certain restrictions and defines what is meant by illuminated signs. It is probable that in view of the proposed ordinance meantion will be taken against those at present in existence, many of which are in place by special permit of the council.

Picture for Atheneun Mrs. Mary J. Munsill has presented the Wadsworth Atheneum gallery at Hartford a handsome painting by Leon Lhermitte, the title of which is "On the Marne." The picture is seven by five feet and was originally hung in the Paris saion in 1903.

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